

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Assignee: International Business Machines Corporation  
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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated March 3, 2008, having a shortened statutory period expiring June 3, 2008. Accompanying this submission is a petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for extension of time by three (3) months, setting a new time for response to September 3, 2008. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.